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Catalogues Introduction

The combined forces of ECACC, a world leader in the supply of Authenticated Cell Lines, and Sigma-Aldrich, the global leaders in the supply of Life Science and Biotechnology Research Products, has now made it possible to deliver an extensive and comprehensive range of accessible products and services. These are delivered promptly, to the customers' specifications and to the highest standard.

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General Collection

This collection comprises approximately 1000 different cell lines originating from over 45 different species and a variety of different tissues. It incorporates over 400 human cell lines with many different cancer cell lines including drug resistant cell lines.

The cells can be shipped either as frozen or growing cultures, and are supplied complete with a specific data sheet together with a technical advisory pamphlet. Batch specific Certificates of Analysis and Authentication Records can be provided on request. ECACC can also supply cell lines on a standing order basis.

All cell lines added to the collection undergo full quality control and authentication procedures. These include testing for mycoplasma by a combination of culture isolation, Hoechst DNA staining and PCR, together with culture for contaminant bacteria, yeast and fungi. Cell lines are also tested for relevant common virus contaminants using PCR techniques.

Isoenzyme analysis is used to verify the species of each cell line deposit while DNA fingerprinting identifies cell line variation and / or cross contamination. ECACC routinely carries out two methods of DNA fingerprinting. Multilocus, applicable to most common species and Multiplex PCR for human cell lines only. The latter has the benefit of producing a digital 'fingerprint' which can be compared to ECACC's extensive range of archived profiles. Available cell lines are listed in the following pages with basic ordering information and a price code. The price code reflects a tiered price structure which is based on ordering frequency, inventory policy and how difficult the cell line is to cultivate. This tiered structure will allow ECACC to maintain its diverse range of cell lines, further expand the collection and continue to provide high quality control and characterisation on all the banks it distributes.

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ECACC No.	89081403
Cell Line Name	U373 MG
Keywords	Human glioblastoma astrocytoma
Cell Line Description	Derived from a malignant tumour by explant technique.
Species	Human
Tissue	brain
Morphology	Epithelial
Passage Number	177
Sub Culture Routine	Split sub-confluent cultures (70-80%) 1:3 to 1:6 i.e. seeding at 2-4x10,000 cells/cm ² using 0.25% trypsin or trypsin/EDTA; 5% CO ₂ ; 37°C.
Culture Medium	EMEM (EBSS) + 2mM Glutamine + 1% Non Essential Amino Acids (NEAA) + 1mM Sodium Pyruvate (NaP) + 10% Foetal Bovine Serum (FBS).
Karyotype	2n = 46, the stemline chromosome number is hypotri
Depositor	Dr J Clarke, AVRl, Pirbright
Originator	No
Country	UK
References	Acta Path Microbiol Scan 1968;74:465
Additional Literature Report	Cell characteristics: 1) expresses high levels of alpha B crystallin and small heat-shock protein HSP28 (11) 2) expresses substance P receptor (13) 3) expresses TNF-alpha (14) Applications: 1) Study of neurokinin-1 receptor (1,2,4) 2) Regulations of inositol-phosphate accumulation and Protein-kinase C activation: effect of histamine (5), carbachol (5), substance P and related tachykinins (8) 3) Study of drugs and antineoplastic agents: combined effects of growth factors (3) 4) Study of HIV infection: effect of cytolethalovirus on HIV replication (6, 12); mechanism of HIV entry into neuronal cells (9, 16, 17, 18) 5) Regulation of gene transcription and protein expression: expression of glial and neuronal cytoskeletal proteins (10); study of the DNA-binding protein IE86 (7); cytokine expression within astrocytoma cell lines (14); regulation of EGF receptor expression by TNF alpha (15) 6) Study of cell growth regulation (19) 7) Study of cell invasiveness and tumorigenicity (20) Bibliography: (1) GLIA, 11 (3) 277-83 /1994 (2) NEUROSCIENCE LETTERS, 171 (1-2) 221-4 /1994 (3) ONCOLOGY RESEARCH, 5 (10-11) 423-32 /1993 (4) EUROPEAN JOURNAL OF PHARMACOLOGY, 254 (3) 221-7 /1994 (5) BRITISH JOURNAL OF PHARMACOLOGY, 111 (2) 598-608 /1994 (6) JOURNAL OF VIROLOGY, 68 (2) 959-73 /1994 (7) JOURNAL OF VIROLOGY, 67 (12) 7547-55 /1993 (8) JOURNAL OF NEUROCHEMISTRY, 59 (2) 406-14 /1992 (9) JOURNAL OF VIROLOGY, 67 (10) 5939-47 /1993 (10) AMERICAN JOURNAL OF PATHOLOGY, 142 (3) 883-92 /1993 (11) BIOCHIMICA ET BIOPHYSICA ACTA, 1175 (3) 257-62 /1993 (12) JOURNAL OF VIROLOGY, 65 (12) 6969-78 /1991 (13) BIOCHEMICAL AND BIOPHYSICAL RESEARCH COMMUNICATIONS, 179 (3) 1232-40 /1991 (14) NO TO SHINKEI. BRAIN AND NERVE, 43 (12) 1145-50 /1991 (15) NIPPON IKA DAIGAKU ZASSHI. JOURNAL OF THE NIPPON MEDICAL SCHOOL, 58 (5) 537-46 /1991 (16) SCIENCE, 253 (5017) 320-3 /1991 (17) JOURNAL OF LEUKOCYTE BIOLOGY, 49 (6) 605-9 /1991 (18) JOURNAL OF VIROLOGY, 63 (6) 2527-33 /1989 (19) JOURNAL OF IMMUNOLOGY, 141 (7) 2342-8 /1988 (20) ACTA NEUROPATHOLOGICA, 72 (3) 207-13 /1987 (21) Pharmaceutisch Weekblad / 129/47-48 (1196-1197) /1994
Additional Bibliography	Not Available
Research Council Deposit	No
Release Conditions	No
DNA Available from Stock	No

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Delivery State

Price Code - B

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Growing Cultures (25cm² flask)
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DNA

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Prices

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Delivery

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Customer Preparation for Deliveries

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Problems with Cell Cultures

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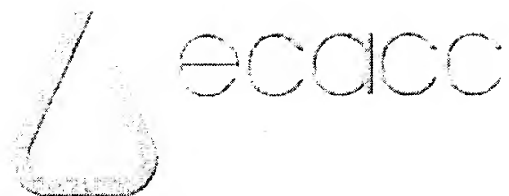
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Importation of Cell Lines into the USA and Canada**DSMZ****United States of America:**

The importation of biological materials is regulated by United States Federal Law. The need for an import permit from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) for our type of cell lines has been abolished as of October 1998. In other words, scientists in USA importing our cell lines do not require an import permit. For specific information, the USDA may be contacted: Animal and Plant Health Inspection Services (APHIS), U.S. Department of Agriculture, Veterinary Services National Center for Import and Export, Import/Export Products, 4700 River Road, Unit 40, Riverdale MD 20737-1231; www.aphis.usda.gov; phone: 301-734-3277.

Canada:

The importation of our type of cell lines into Canada does no longer require a Health Canada Import permit. General information can be obtained from the Animal Health Division, Food Production and Inspection Branch, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, Ottawa. Information could also be obtained at: Office of Biosafety, Laboratory Centre for Disease Control; phone: 613-957-1779.

For further information concerning shipments to North America, please inquire at:

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Distribution of Cell Lines**DSMZ**

Cell cultures are distributed either frozen in plastic ampoules on dry ice ("frozen culture") or as active, growing cell populations in flasks or tubes ("growing culture"). Shipments are sent early in the week (usually on Mondays and Tuesdays) to ensure arrival before the following weekend. Due to the elaborate handling, the price for growing cultures is higher than for frozen cultures. We suggest ordering frozen cultures which are usually sent out 4-10 days after receipt of the complete order. However, for certain destinations outside Western Europe (due to restrictive, time-delaying import procedures or the distant geographical location with the long transit time of the parcel), we must ship cells exclusively as growing cultures.

Cell lines assigned to biosafety risk group 2 (as indicated in the respective cell line entries) will be distributed only within Germany due to extremely difficult shipping regulations. See also under Restrictions on the Use of Certain Cell Lines within Germany.

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Replacement Policy**DSMZ**

Please notify the DSMZ if cultures are received in a non-viable condition and if cells do not grow due to unsatisfactory material (at the address given below). Should the claim for replacement be justified and reported within 30 days, we will check the respective cell line and send a replacement as soon as possible. We can also assist with advice on the telephone in case cells do not grow optimally. Cultures lost due to insufficient culture conditions, improper storage or suboptimal cell culture technique will not be replaced.

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PRICE LIST HUMAN AND ANIMAL CELL LINES (1 January 2003)

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Culture/Service	Euro
CELL LINES:	
Frozen Culture (one ampoule)	200
Growing Culture	400
SHIPPING and DRY ICE CHARGES per Package	
Germany: Shipment of frozen cells on dry ice	60
Germany: Shipment of growing cultures in flasks	30
Europe: ¹ Shipment of frozen cells on dry ice	150
Europe: ¹ Shipment of growing cultures in flasks	75
North America: ¹ Shipment of frozen cells on dry ice	200
North America: ¹ Shipment of growing cultures in flasks	100
Shipping to other countries ²	Inquire
Banking/Handling Fee	Info
SAFE and PATENT DEPOSIT:	
SAFE DEPOSIT	
Per Ampoule (per year)	25
PATENT DEPOSIT	
According to Budapest Treaty (for 30 years)	1350
SERVICES:	
MYCOPLASMA TESTING:	
Broth-Agar Microbiological Culture Method	100
Polymerase Chain Reaction	100
Mycoplasma Elimination and Verification	1000
Cell Culture for Mycoplasma Testing	150

CELL CULTURING:	
Growth and Preservation (including mycoplasma testing) per Ampoule	
First Ampoule (per Cell Line)	300
Any further Ampoule (per Cell Line)	50
ISOENZYME ANALYSIS:	
Isoenzyme Mobility Profile (per enzyme out of 6 enzymes)	
Single sample	50
2-3 Samples	75
CYTOGENETIC ANALYSIS:	
Human Cell Lines (consensus karyotype and modal chromosome number)	Inquire
Animal Cell Lines	Inquire
CYTOTOXICITY ASSAY:	
Per Cell Line and per Reagent	75
FINGERPRINTING:	
Multiplex PCR Single Locus Analysis (single sample)	200
Multiplex PCR Single Locus Analysis (up to 5 samples)	750
Southern Blot Multilocus Analysis	1000
DETECTION OF VIRUSES:	
Polymerase Chain Reaction (per virus out of 6 human pathogenic viruses)	100
Cell Culture for Virus Testing	150
DETECTION OF SPECIES:	
PCR Detection for Mouse, Rat, Hamster Cell Lines	
1-3 Samples	100
3-6 Samples	150
IMMUNOPHENOTYPING:	
Cell Surface Markers (per monoclonal antibody out of 40 markers)	50
Intracytoplasmatic Intermediate Filaments (per monoclonal antibody out	50

of 6 markers)	
DNA:	
DNA Isolated from Cell Lines of the Cell Culture Collection per 25 microg	200

1 All orders placed from outside Germany will be subject to an additional banking/handling fee.

2 Shipments to certain destinations may be subject to an additional surcharge. Deliveries to some destinations will not be undertaken.

For details on techniques and methods used in the above services, please contact the DSMZ.

Charges and fees for cultures and services may be updated without notice. Updates may be obtained on request. All prices are net without further discounts. Value-added-tax (VAT, Mehrwertsteuer) (at present 7%) will be charged in addition, if applicable. All orders placed from outside Germany will be subject to a banking fee of 20 Euro. Payments should not be made in advance. An invoice will be sent by standard mail.

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Charges**DSMZ**

(effective 1st July 2003)

Charges and fees for cultures and services are given in Euro and may be updated without notice. Updates may be obtained on request. All prices are net without the possibility of further discount. Value added tax (at present 7%) will be charged in addition, if applicable.

All orders placed outside Germany are subject to a handling and banking charge depending on the amount of the invoice (see table below).

Handling and banking charge (in Euro)

invoice amount (net)	charge for non EU members	charge for EU members
1 - 20 €	10 €	5 €
20 - 100 €	15 €	8 €
100 - 500 €	20 €	10 €
more than 500 €	30 €	15 €

Shipment of Risk Group 2 Microorganisms

Detailed information on additional charges for the transportation of Risk Group 2 microorganisms and other cultures which must be sent by private courier can be found here.

Shipment of Risk Group 2 Cell Lines

Cell lines assigned to risk group 2 level (indicated in the respective cell line data) will not be distributed outside Germany. Within Germany, however, risk group 2 cell lines will be despatched only as "growing cultures" with reduction of the normally charged price.

More information on restrictions and distribution of cell lines.

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